



# ENJOY YOUR SUMMER NEWSLETTER 2022 #6

## 2022 DATES

STUDENT FUN HORSE SHOW

JULY 16

FALL REGISTRATION

AUGUST 15

FALL VOLUNTEER TRAINING

AUGUST 27 9 TO 12

FALL SATURDAYS 9,10,11,12,1,2 CLASSES

SEPTEMBER 3,10,17,24; OCTOBER 1,8,15

FALL TUESDAY 5, 6, AND 7 PM CLASSES

SEPTEMBER 6,13,20,27; OCTOBER 4,11,18

FALL THURSDAY 5, 6, AND 7 PM CLASSES

SEPTEMBER 8,15,22,29; OCTOBER 6,13,20

SILENT AUCTION/SPAGHETTI DINNER

OCTOBER 22

## STUDENT FUN HORSE SHOW – RODEO DAYS

Some of the possible rodeo activities include Cowboy Boot Toss, Prairie Dog Targets, Gold Rush Search, Cow Roping, Cow Chip Hula Hoopla, and many more. Families will be able to take a picture of their students at "Silverado Gulch".

**Volunteers we need you in full force.** Please text or call Vicki and let her know when you can volunteer. Or mail the office [fc4htpr@aol.com](mailto:fc4htpr@aol.com). RIDERS MUST NOTIFY THE OFFICE BY THURSDAY EVENING, **JULY 14**, IF THEY ARE RIDING IN THE HORSE SHOW. The schedule is as follows:

JULY 16 HORSE SHOW		
HORSE SHOW TIME	FIRSTNAME	LASTNAME
01 CLASS 9AM	Erik	Forney
01 CLASS 9AM	Mishka	Rosenbarker
01 CLASS 9AM	Ben	Myers
01 CLASS 9AM	Tatum	Ridgley
01 CLASS 9AM	Derek	Rudge
02 CLASS 9:30AM	Alice	Heasman
02 CLASS 9:30AM	Jessica	Lewis
02 CLASS 9:30AM	Oden	Shuler
02 CLASS 9:30AM	Conor	Reeves
03 CLASS 10AM	Owen	Van Doorn
03 CLASS 10AM	Ava	Beall
03 CLASS 10AM	Robbie	Shaffer III
03 CLASS 10AM	Joedy	Atkinson
04 CLASS 10:30AM	Jocelyn	Geesaman

JULY 16 HORSE SHOW		
HORSE SHOW TIME	FIRSTNAME	LASTNAME
04 CLASS 10:30AM	Thomas	Danner
04 CLASS 10:30AM	Ryan	Whipp
04 CLASS 10:30AM	Alicia	Buntman
05 CLASS 11AM	Randy	Rose
05 CLASS 11AM	Diane	Waggy
05 CLASS 11AM	Joey	Clune
05 CLASS 11AM	Justin	Lipson
06 CLASS 11:30AM	Sean	Sweeney
06 CLASS 11:30AM	Steven	Taylor
06 CLASS 11:30AM	Matthew	Porter
07 CLASS 12:00NOON	Sophia	Stone
07 CLASS 12:00NOON	Miriam	Fohner
07 CLASS 12:00NOON	Giovany	Ayala
08 CLASS 12:30	Lauren	Vignola
08 CLASS 12:30	Jack	Grove
08 CLASS 12:30	Mason	Mathews
08 CLASS 12:30	Daniel	Pfanzelter
09 CLASS 1PM	Sarah	Hickman
09 CLASS 1PM	Emily	Smith
09 CLASS 1PM	Colleen	Allen
09 CLASS 1PM	Christopher	Creger
10 CLASS 1:30PM	Tori	Seiss
10 CLASS 1:30PM	Michaela	Goodman
10 CLASS 1:30PM	Kevin	Wachter
10 CLASS 1:30PM	Noah	Watkins
11 CLASS 2PM	Avery	Routzahn
11 CLASS 2PM	Cyrus	Steelman
11 CLASS 2PM	Mary	Shobe
11 CLASS 2PM	Larry	Rucosky
12 CLASS 2:30PM	Alia	Nissley
12 CLASS 2:30PM	Billy	Barnhard
12 CLASS 2:30PM	Claire	Elias

## CALLING ALL HORSE BUDDIES

Hello, everyone. Our spring session has ended, and we are ready to start Horse Buddies.

In an effort to have our barn crew run smoothly and efficiently, we are doing things a bit differently this year. Our goal is to have each barn crew member able to work totally independently. This means going into the field to get a horse, ensuring that the horse behaves in cross ties, grooming (including picking hooves), returning horse to correct field and securing gate, cleaning up after yourselves and putting grooming supplies away in the proper location. You will also be expected to fill out the horse buddy book.

Horse Buddies will be held on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 4:00 until 6:00, beginning July 5.

You must sign up to attend. It will be first come first serve. We are limiting the number of volunteers to two at a time. This will enable us to work closely with each "buddy" for three visits in order to gain the skills needed to work independently. Thanks for your interest in volunteering ♥

## VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT



### MISSY MILLER – Lesson Barn Manager

Did you ever wonder how all of the horses and ponies made to the ring clean and with their rider's correct equipment? That would be Missy.

Missy first came to Silverado 14 years ago to watch her son, Brandon's riding lessons. She never thought she would be interested in horses until bringing Brandon to the farm to ride and volunteer in the barn. Brandon began volunteering in the barn with the horses, why not her. Missy loves

everything about horses – medical issues, training, and perfection in grooming. Missy, who also rides, first rode Oliver, who is now retired. Missy is married with two kids, Brandon and Kayla, who you occasionally see at the farm. They have an elderly Shih Tzu, Buster. Missy provided day care for children while her kids were growing up, and now she cards for her 4-legged children.

## MARYLAND HORSE DISCOVERY CENTER

Frederick County 4H Therapeutic Riding Program has been approved to be a Maryland Horse Discovery Center. HORSE DISCOVERY CENTERS provide opportunities and activities for individuals, children and adults, to come to the farm and learn about horses and ponies – where they live, what they eat, what care is involved, how to take care of them. Maryland has more horses per square mile than any other state, providing over \$2.4 billion economic impact in Maryland. Our first Maryland Horse Discover Center activity will be 'HAVE FUN WITH PONIES' scheduled for Thursday, July 28. If interested in participating or helping out, please leave a message at the office. See the flyer below.

**HORSE DISCOVERY CENTER  
FREDERICK COUNTY 4H  
THERAPEUTIC RIDING PROGRAM  
SILVERADO**

**11515 Angleberger Rd, Thurmont  
301-898-3587  
PRESENTS**

**FUN TIME  
WITH PONIES**

**THURSDAY, JULY 28 10am to Noon  
Free**



**AGES 5 TO 10**

**FARM TOUR  
GROOM PONIES  
PAINT PONIES  
FEED CARROTS**

**PONY RIDES  
\$5 EACH**







## VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DAY

**H**uge thank you to Kim who championed the “Volunteer Appreciation Day” idea. We had many volunteers come to Fun Day at the farm. Held on Saturday, June 25 from 9am to 12:00, horses were saddled and ready for anyone who wanted to ride. Riders played basketball and jousting or just rode around, experiencing the many horses they have led or side walked. Everyone brought more food than we good eat.

No work, just food, friends and fun. Hope you ‘all will come next year.

And thank you for being a volunteer with FC4HTRP. You are so appreciated!

## COVID GUIDELINES



### PLEASE DO NOT COME

- If you have been out of the country
- If you have been in close proximity to someone known to have COVID symptoms
- If you have COVID symptoms

If you have been in close proximity to someone known to have COVID symptoms or have COVID, you will need to quarantine for 7 days before returning to Therapeutic Riding. The wearing of face masks will be optional. If you feel safer wearing one, by all means wear it. Hand sanitizer and the hand washing station will be available.

